



PATENT APPLICATION  
File No: 00-100

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Charles E. Hart, Stavros Topouzis  
Serial No. : 10/039,847  
Group Art Unit : 1646  
Examiner : Andres, J.  
Filed : October 26, 2001  
For : COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR IMPROVING KIDNEY  
FUNCTION  
Date Submitted : September 5, 2003

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**AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-mentioned application. The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	<b>Claims Remaining After Amendment</b>	<b>Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments</b>	<b>Present Extra</b>	<b>Extra Rate</b>	<b>Fee</b>
Total	7	-23	0	\$9.00	\$000.00
Independent	1	- 3	0	\$42.00	\$000.00
1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				\$140.00	\$000.00
				<b>Total</b>	<b>\$000.00</b>

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge any required fee to  
ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Gary E. Parker  
Registration No. 31,648



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Amendment

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 8, 2003, please extend the time period for response by two months, to expire September 8, 2003. A Request for Extension of Time and the requisite fee are enclosed.